

moisture at least on the food adjacent to the trailing edge prior to its rolling into the roll, with the source of moisture increasing the tackiness of the food sufficient to be adherable to the support material in the roll to at least temporarily prevent unintentional unrolling of the roll.

Please amend claim 2 according to the following claim 2 (amended):

2. (amended) The method of claim 1 wherein providing the strip [providing step] comprises [the step of] providing the strip of support material and food having an elongated length between the trailing and leading edges; and wherein [the] spraying [step] the deposit comprises [the step of] spraying the deposit of a length considerably shorter than the elongated length of the strip of support material and food.

Please amend claim 3 according to the following claim 3 (amended):

3. (amended) The method of claim 2 wherein [the] spraying [step] the deposit comprises [the step of] spraying the deposit with the length approximately 10% of the elongated length of the strip of support material and food.

Please amend claim 4 according to the following claim 4 (amended):

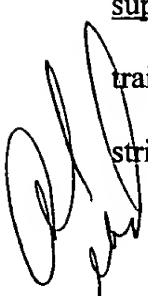
4. (amended) The method of claim 2 wherein [the] spraying [step] the deposit comprises [the step of] spraying the deposit with a food grade water free of adhesive type additives.

Please amend claim 5 according to the following claim 5 (amended):

5. (amended) The method of claim 3 wherein providing the strip [providing step] comprises [the steps of] providing a strip of support material having side edges and providing food having side edges spaced inwardly from the side edges of the strip of support material.

Please amend claim 6 according to the following claim 6 (amended):

6. (amended) The method of claim 5 wherein [the] spraying [step] the deposit comprises [the step of] spraying the deposit having side edges spaced inwardly from the side edges of the food.

 [Please amend claim 7 according to the following claim 7 (amended):]

7. (amended) The method of claim 6 wherein [the step of] providing the strip of support material and food comprises [the step of] providing a strip of food with the leading and trailing edges of the strip of food being coextensive with the leading and trailing edges of the strip of support material.

[Please amend claim 8 according to the following claim 8 (amended):]

8. (amended) The method of claim 7 wherein [the] spraying [step] the deposit comprises [the step of] spraying the deposit having a trailing edge coextensive with the trailing edge of the strip of food.

[Please amend claim 9 according to the following claim 9 (amended):]

9. (amended) The method of claim 8 wherein [the strip] providing [step] the strip of support material and food comprises [the step] providing food in the form of a sweetened dehydrated fruit based material.

[Please amend claim 10 according to the following claim 10 (amended):]

10. (amended) The method of claim 9 wherein [the strip] providing [step] the strip of support material and food comprises [the step of] providing the strip of support material in the form of silicon parchment paper.

REMARKS

Affirmation of the election of Group I with traverse is hereby given. Specifically, it should be noted that the apparatus of claim 11 includes numerous recitations to food and